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CENTRAL UNITED CHURCH BLAIRMORE

Rev. James McKelvey, Minister.

Sunday services next:
11.00 a.m., Senior school.
2.00 p.m., Junior school.
7.30 p.m., Public worship.

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH, BLAIRMORE

Rector: Rev. W. E. Brown

The 16th Sunday after Trinity:
Holy communion 11 a.m.
Sunday school 12 noon.

St. Luke's harvest festival service will be held on Sunday, Sept. 30th, at 7.30 p.m.

SALVATION ARMY, COLEMAN

Captain and Mrs. T. Smith,
Officers in charge.

Sunday services:

11 a.m., Holiness meeting.
2.30 p.m., Directory class.
3 p.m., Sunday school.
7.30 p.m., Salvation meeting.
Tuesday: 7.30 p.m., Red Shield Auxiliary and Home League.
Thursday: 8 p.m., Praise meeting.
Funerals, dedications and marriages on application to the local officers.

HILLCREST UNITED CHURCH:

Services every Sunday at 3 p.m.

BELLEVUE UNITED CHURCH:

Services at 7.30 p.m. every Sunday.

COWLEY UNITED CHURCH:

Services alternate Sunday mornings at 11 o'clock.

Rev. W. H. IRWIN, Minister.

BELLEVUE BAPTIST CHURCH

Pastor Evangelist Alfred Siple

10.30 a.m., Sunday school.

11.30 a.m., Morning service.

We preach the Victory Life of Christ, and invite you.

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Proceeds to be used to erect a Recreational Centre for our returning Veterans and the citizens of this district. Date of drawing to be announced in press. Don't delay! Act now! [76-45]

NOTICE

Parents and children are asked to note that the United church Sunday schools will resume sessions next Sunday, Sept. 9th. Senior school at 11 a.m. and juniors at 2 p.m.

The regular evening service will be held at 7.30, when the subject will be "Perishable Gods." Everyone cordially invited to attend.

RED CROSS IN NEW QUARTERS

The Blaimore Red Cross Society will resume work in the Home Economic rooms in the main school on Wednesday, Sept. 12th. The war is over, but there is still a big amount of work to be done. Civilian clothing is very badly needed in Europe, and Alberta has promised its share of the supply. Help the Red Cross finish the job.

VICTORY LOAN OBJECTIVE SET AT \$1,500,000,000

Hon. J. L. Haley, minister of finance, has announced that the minimum objective for the ninth Victory Loan, which opens on October 22nd, has been set at \$1,500,000,000, of which \$800,000,000 is the minimum objective for sales to individuals.

This is an increase of \$125,000,000 over the individual objective for the eighth loan.

Because final victory will mean a material reduction in Canada's war costs, it is possible for the ninth loan to meet Canada's borrowing needs for a twelve-month period.

HERMAN TRELLE

PASS OLDTIMER

Blaimore, Alberta, Sept. 5, 1945.
Editor, Blaimore Enterprise.

Dear Sir: Several years ago whilst attending a convention of the Alberta School Trustees Association in Edmonton I had the pleasure of meeting Mr. Herman Trelle, the world famous wheat king of Canada, who was a delegate representing the Wembley school district.

Our conversations related to schools and education in the early days of the Crows' Nest Pass, and now, in view of the foul murder of Mr. Trelle on his ranch at San Bernardino, California, I am sure the following statement given to me by the late Mr. Trelle will be of interest to your readers:

"Our first Alberta home was in an old Indian cabin of logs down by the Sulphur Springs near Frank. My first schooling in Canada was in Frank, Alberta, from the opening of the townsite about 1901 until the Frank Slide on April 29th, 1903. In the fall of 1903, until the opening of Rev. Robinson's private school in Coleman about 1904, I attended school in Blaimore. I attended the first school in Coleman and was a student in the larger one built about 1906. In 1907 we moved to Edmonton, where I completed high school, and was attending University when war was declared in 1914." (Signed) Herman Trelle, Wembley, Alberta, February 9, 1935.

Yours very truly,
W. H. CHAPPELL.

HILLCREST HAPPENINGS

Mrs. W. Spence and son Lawrence returned last week from a visit to Drumheller.

The sum of \$130 was netted from the dinner served by the church ladies at the sports meet on August 25th.

Mr. E. O. Duke returned this week from a business visit to the coast.

FO R. R. D'Amico landed in Quebec on Thursday from the liner Pasteur.

Returning on Sunday from a vacation spent at the coast were Mr. and Mrs. R. Henderson and two children, Merle and Jessie Anne.

The death occurred here on Saturday last of Mrs. A. Zbananskas.

Enjoying a fishing trip to the Gap are Messrs. Loftstrand, Phil McNeil and Jack Shearer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Penn and family, of Medicine Hat, are renewing acquaintances here.

ARRESTED AT BLAIRMORE; GIVEN TWO YEARS

Theodore D. Boehmer, 24-year-old ranch hand, was arrested by the RCMP near Blaimore on Wednesday night of last week while in possession of a truck stolen from a Montana rancher. At Lethbridge, before Magistrate Metcalfe, he was sentenced to two years in the Prince Albert penitentiary. The truck apparently entered Canada along the British Columbia border and was driven to Blaimore from Cranbrook. A young lad who was with him was returned to his home in Montana.

ZAK-KULIG

The marriage took place at Bellevue on Saturday evening last of Miss Annie, daughter of Mr. A. Kulig and the late Mrs. Kulig, of Coleman, to Joseph, second son of Mr. Henry Zak and the late Mrs. Zak, of Blaimore, Rev. W. H. Irwin officiating.

WORLD PEACE ASSURED

With the signing of documents on board the U.S. battleship Missouri on Sunday by twelve nations, including Japan, the world appears to be at peace.

The solemn ceremony, marking the first defeat in Japan's 2,600-year-old history, took place during twenty minutes of time.

FAREWELL ARCHDEACON AXON

A farewell tea in honor of Archdeacon and Mrs. Axon was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lynch-Staunton on Friday afternoon last, when a large number of friends gathered to do them homage. The honor guests were presented with a tri-lite lamp. Archdeacon Axon was former rector of the Macleod Anglican church, and has been appointed secretary of the Anglican Diocese of Calgary, where he will reside. Messrs. A. N. Cos, George Mowatt and T. S. Willdigg were appointed church wardens of this district. A canvass will be made to raise funds for a resident minister of Pincher Creek to conduct services in Lundbreck, Cowley and Livingstone churches.—Cowley Corr.

COWLEY HAPPENINGS

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Reason have returned to their home in Vauxhall following a visit here with Mrs. and Mrs. E. F. Everett.

The Ladies Aid of the Anglican church were entertained for their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Harry Smith on Thursday afternoon last.

Mrs. Hector Lemire is a visitor to Calgary this week.

Mrs. J. Fournier has returned home to Pincher Creek from a visit here with her daughter, Mrs. P. Iwasuk, and family.

Services were conducted in the United church on Sunday morning by Rev. W. H. Irwin, who has returned from a holiday spent at Pacific coast points. He was accompanied by Mrs. Irwin.

Miss Marjorie Murphy has gone to Stavelly, where she has accepted a position on the teaching staff.

Mrs. and Mrs. Stewart Downie and infant daughter, of Miami, Florida, are visiting at the parental home of Mr. and Mrs. James Lote in Blaimore. They made the trip by airplane. Mrs. Downie was formerly Miss Grace Lote, of Cowley.

The Lundbreck school will re-open for the fall term with John Percevaull as principal and Mrs. Walter Oakley as teacher.

Miss Patricia Wilson will enter on the teaching staff at Red Deer at the re-opening of school.

The monthly meeting of the United Church Ladies Aid was held on Thursday afternoon of this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Cleland.

After spending the summer holidays with relatives here, little Miss Joan Colvin returned to her home in Port McNicoll, Ontario, by airplane on Saturday. Her aunt, Mrs. J. Irwin, accompanied her to Lethbridge, where she took off.

The east end of town is brightened up with a new coat of paint on the residence of Morris Lemire. The appearance of the place is also enhanced by a new front paling fence.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Labonne have returned from a two weeks visit with friends at Creston.

Mrs. Walling and daughter, of Washington state, have returned to their home following a visit of a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Gus Shambrook, and family at the North Fork.

After spending the summer holidays with her parents here, Miss Helen Morrison has returned to Calgary to resume her duties on the teaching staff.

The Cowley school will re-open for the fall term on Monday with P. Iwasuk as principal and Mrs. Griffith teaching the junior room.

Miss Mae Poulsen left on Saturday for a visit with relatives in Salt Lake City. On her return she will teach the Glenwood school for the ensuing term.

Flight Sergeant Leo J. Smith, who served with the RCAF for more than a year overseas, has returned home. He enlisted in the fall of 1941, and is son of Mr. and Mrs. James Smith, of Lundbreck.

A dance was held in the Cowley opera house on Friday night.

The first community auction sale of the season was held at Lundbreck on Thursday of this week, when four hundred head of cattle were auctioned off. There was a large crowd in attendance and enthusiasm ran high as the sale went on. Local district ranchers were well pleased with the top prices reaching 12 cents.

The combining of wheat has been under way here for several days now. Most of the fields have been threshed, practically saving all of the grain as it was picked up with the combine, while some fields which were not previously swathed were damaged to a considerable extent by grain shattering with strong prevailing winds.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS
BRIEFLY TOLD

"Vitrified water," reinforced crockery that can't break, is being manufactured in Britain.

Toward the end of the war the British Red Cross was spending \$1,000 (about \$4,500) every hour.

About 30,000 acres of forest have been destroyed by seven fires which burned near the Turkish capital for several weeks.

Britain's basic gasoline ration has been increased 25 per cent. This means that motorists may drive 150 miles per month instead of 120.

May 5—date on which German armies in the Netherlands capitulated to Canadian and British forces—henceforth will be celebrated as an annual national holiday.

Eight Norwegian air lines, under the Norwegian Air Ministry, are now flying over 5,600 miles daily. Military planes and personnel are being used.

The first Roosevelt memorial tropical stamp was sold in Warm Springs Ga., where Franklin Roosevelt fought his battle against infantile paralysis and where he died.

Thomas Guy, founder of Guy's Hospital, looks again on London. His statue was covered as protection against bombs and was the first "bomb-proof" statue to be unveiled.

The Neue Zeit, organ of the German Christian Democratic Union, said Adolf Hitler cost Germany 700,000,000,000 reichsmarks (\$280,000,000,000 at pre-war exchange rates) in debts and war damage.

Producing Penicillin

Potatoes Prove A Perfect Medium For Growth And Mould

United Kingdom scientists have discovered two methods of producing penicillin on a tremendous scale. Potatoes—or even potato peelings—form the basis of the first method, which was developed by research workers of the Highgate hospital, London, reports the British Medical Journal. After treatment with water and hydrochloric acid potatoes have been found to yield an extract which after further simple treatment, provides a perfect medium for the growth of penicillin mould.

The second method which was discovered by a young Glasgow doctor, is based on colchicine—a chemical which is used to increase growth of tobacco plants. For six months Dr. Gordon and Mr. J. McKee, his laboratory technician, have been trying to find an agent which would double the growth of penicillin mould. They have now discovered the colchicine produces six times as much as before. Moreover, penicillin produced by this new means is stated to be harder than any type previously grown.

Insurance History

It Has Been In Use Since About 900 B.C.

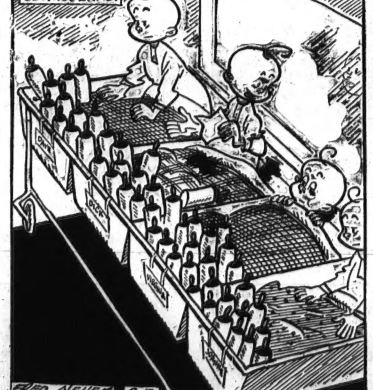
One of the earliest records of the use of insurance is that of the Sea Law, developed on the island of Rhodes about 900 B.C. This law set up a co-operative plan whereby the loss of a valuable ship would not be borne by one man, but distributed over a large group of people. However, it was not until the 18th century—almost three thousand years later, that a similar plan was devised for insuring human life.

Today, though life insurance is less than 200 years old, there are 70 million policy-owners in Canada and U.S.—Monetary Times.

In the tropics, sea water is so clear that corals 40 feet below the surface seem to be within reaching distance.

LIFE'S LIKE THAT

US MODERNS



"The milkman left a note saying he was going away for a week."

Rival For Penicillin

New Antibiotic Drug Is Said To Be Great Healer

An ace-in-the-hole medicine to work wonders where penicillin fails, a drug made from an earth mold that's different from penicillin, is under study at the University of Illinois. The name is streptomycin, and the preliminary performances, in tests with laboratory animals, are almost sensational.

"If penicillin is a wonder drug," says Dr. H. W. Anderson, professor of plant pathology who heads the Illinois work in its biological aspects, "recent results indicate that streptomycin may prove to be the wonder of wonder drug."

The discoverer of streptomycin is Dr. Selman A. Waksman, of the New Jersey experiment station at Rutgers. Frequent discovery, however, left it still necessary to determine how the drug, in pure state, can be produced economically and in quantity. Dr. Anderson heads a study of the mold from which streptomycin is obtained. Dr. H. E. Carter, associate professor of chemistry at Illinois, heads a study of the drug's chemical purification.

Streptomycin is one of about 50 anti-bodies, all molds, fungi or micro-organism products like penicillin, now under investigation in the world's foremost medical biological and chemistry laboratories.

The studies at the University of Illinois indicate, however, that even if it should prove successful with humans, streptomycin probably never will supplant penicillin, but would be used instead as a companion drug, since penicillin can be produced more cheaply. It is possible that eventually there may be produced a series of anti-biotic drugs, one of which would supplant the other, but each of which would have its own special field. Dr. Anderson predicts a sharp increase in life expectancy due to the antibiotics and to the medical knowledge gained in war.

Planned A Paper

President Roosevelt Had This In Mind Before His Death

President Roosevelt had in mind starting a newspaper in New York once he completed his fourth term, Stephen Early, secretary to the late president, said.

Mr. Early said Mr. Roosevelt had considered and discussed the project to the point where he had decided the paper should be talked into and should print no editorials.

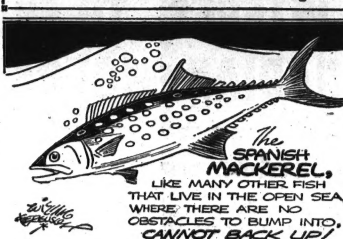
"It will print only news stories in which there will be only facts," he quoted the president as saying, "give the people plenty of facts and they will form their own opinions."

PAINTING BRINGS GOOD PRICE

A Thomas Howland painting "Vaughan Gardens," bought for one pound (about \$4.50) in a junk shop, was sold at auction for £2,750 (about \$12,855).

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



AS SOME FELLER SAYS, "EVERYBODY TALKS ABOUT THE WEATHER, BUT NOBODY EVER DOES ANYTHING ABOUT IT."

WHO DID SAY IT?

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ANSWER: Not Mark Twain, to whom it commonly is credited, but to a friend of his, Charles Dudley Warner.



IN PRAISE OF VOLUNTEERS

Without volunteers none of the great reforms of history would ever have been achieved, writes Dr. Gordon Bates, editor, in the current issue of Health, official magazine of the Health League of Canada.

"The names of dozens of the leaders of great voluntary movements spring to mind immediately," Dr. Bates continues. "Wilberforce, Harriet Beecher Stowe, Mrs. Pankhurst, Lord Shaftbury, Josephine Butler, John Wesley and other countless thousands whose devotion has built up the institutions of civilization."

"And yet in our modern day and age, in our effort to improve civilization by building up a formal governmental machinery, there is a tendency to forget the importance of the influence of the individual. A great English law lord once said that that country will be greatest in which the greatest number of citizens undertake unimposed obligations."

"If the principle here enunciated is sound each citizen should spend a considerable part of his time working as a volunteer for the good of his community and his country. The volunteer associations working for the common good need the best brains of the country if their aims are to be achieved with reasonable speed. They need the assistance and advice of trained men and women in the past to work for themselves or for private interests."

"In the new world every business man, every civil servant should grasp the opportunity to do the things he is not paid to do, to devote all the time he can spare to the service of his fellow man."

"The new world should be a world created by the volunteer; a world in which we do not wait for government to act, and then blame them for doing the wrong thing, but a democratic world in which governments act because the people ask them to act."

"A study of the function and value of voluntary societies and how to make them stronger should be an immediate post-war project."

REAL TIME SAVER

The Thy-mo-trol, an electronic control developed by General Electric Co., and widely used in war production, has helped reduce the finishing time for machining an aircraft part from 18 and one-half hours to five minutes.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON
SEPTEMBER 9

Egypt's Part in God's Plan

Memory Selection: He hath given food unto them that fear him: He will ever be mindful of his covenant. Psalm 111:5.

Lesson: Genesis 41:44—42:28.

Devotional Reading: Psalm 111.

The Text Explained With Comments

Joseph's Work During the Years of Plenty, Gen. 41:46-49. The drama of the book of Genesis centres about the triumph of the Covenant religion, the faith of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob, over all the conflicting forces that oppose its progress. Ancient Egypt, with its corrupt religion and despotic government, might have been expected to crush out all vestiges of the Hebrew faith. But these powerful evil forces were over-ruled by God for good. In the religious development of the human race, Egypt had a part in God's plan.

This providential overruling of history appears in the fact that the Pharaoh at the time of Joseph was more religiously-minded than usual, and also that this ruler found it to his interest to be less harsh in his treatment of the people than the aristocratic nobles, or "nomarchs," whom he conquered and displaced. This Pharaoh was a renegade, a religious idealist who tried to depose the ruling priesthood from their power in Egypt.

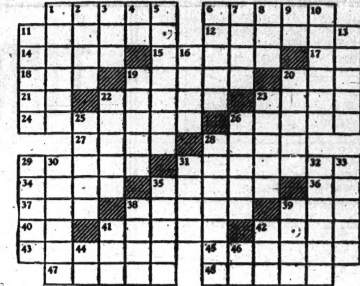
Pharaoh recognized Joseph as a man "in whom the spirit of God is" (Gen. 41:38). In accepting Joseph's interpretation of his dream, Pharaoh acknowledged that Joseph's God has planned the history of Egypt for the next fourteen years, that Joseph is acquainted with the purpose of God, and therefore is worthy of Pharaoh's trust.

Pharaoh had put an end to the power of the nobles, or "nomarchs," and restored the crown of power. The affairs of the government were now only left in the hands of the Vizier; but also the courts of justice, the collection of taxes, and even the restoration of temples and palaces were under his control. When Joseph was sold by his brothers to the merchants who took him to Egypt the way had been providentially prepared; so that it was not at all a strange thing that he should rise to such a responsible position, first as keeper of the prisoners in the house of an officer, and then as vizier to the reforming Pharaoh who would be able to trust an Asiatic more readily than one of the nobility or priestly cult whom he was endeavoring to displace from power.

Joseph's policy during this period of plenty embodied principles of stewardship, which are lasting truth and value. Among these principles are economy, industry, patience, fortitude, and co-operation.

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OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY— EARTHQUAKE AT STATE U

By CARL NESSLER
McClure Newspaper Syndicate

"Remember," she said, "this is a case of Love Me—love my spiders!" He slipped the diamond solitaire on her finger. "I'd marry you if it meant taking on the whole Ringling menagerie," he declared.

And in that happy moment Mark Pullison persuaded himself that Betty Paige's hobby of raising spiders would prove no barrier at all to a perfect married life.

Mark and Betty were instructors respectively of geology and astronomy at State U. From her work with telescopes Betty had branched into breeding spiders to spin thread used for fine lines in optical instruments. This was decidedly unpopular with Mark—the very thought of a spider reduced him to the howling howls.

He managed to keep himself pretty well under control, though, till a month before the wedding. "Darling," he said, as they sat in her cosy living room, "I'm always as happy as this."

Betty smiled closer. "Always, Mark."

"We'll never argue," said Mark. "There's no reason why two civilized—"

He stiffened, leaped up with a gurgling yell and brushed in frenzy at his arm.

"Goodness, Mark—what happened?" Betty, following his glance, fell to her knees with a cry. "Why, it's Bucko!"

Mark watched, shuddering, while she extended a paper and a tiny spider hopped aboard. Brought to

Mark unfolded a cot and prepared to spend the night.

The alarm aroused him at twelve. Nothing doing yet. He set the clock an hour ahead and sank back in bed, closing his eyes.

Wakeful and wondering why, he remembered that on Thursday nights Betty operated the big telescope upstairs. She was there now. He smothered a desire to go to her—slowly drifted into sleep.

Betty's white figure ran from him. He reached out to catch her—when the ground trembled and fell away. The earthquake! Sweating, Mark awakened in pitch darkness.

Where were the lights? He leaped up in alarm—stumbled. Was it imagination, or had the floor lurched? That quake in his nightmare... could it be—? Laughing at the crazy fear, he struck a match and went to the seismograph.

It was true! The earthquake—right here! A terrific shock, too judging by the line that looked like jagged saw teeth. A miracle the building had stayed together.

Betty! She may have been hurt! Mark blundered to the door, took the stairs in three strides, and burst into the observatory. She was slumped near the telescope—probably too paralyzed with fear to move. But, thank God, safe!

"Mark! Mark!" "You did come!" She threw her arms around him. "You love me."

"You're telling me? But save the kissing—we have to get going!"

Ignoring her squeals he threw her over his shoulder and made for the door. She kept struggling on the stairs and at last bottom managed to shake free. "Mark—are you insane?"

"You can't fool with earthquakes, Betty. A second shock may get the building. The first got the lights!"

"The lights?" echoed Betty. Stepping into the lab she snatched a switch and the lights went on. "Put them out myself a little while ago, you seemed so restless when I looked in on you. And as for an earthquake, I don't feel any."

"But the seismograph—"

Mark led the way to it. Yes, there was the line, jagged and crooked. They bent close to look through the glass cover of the instrument—then straightened to stare at each other.

"Oh, Mark!" said Betty, her lips twitching. "He didn't know what he was doing. I hope you won't feel too angry at him."

"On the contrary—he's my friend for life," Mark put a week's longing into one lengthy kiss, after which he looked over his shoulder. "Match-maker!" he said.

And winked at Bucko, the spider, perching on the balance arm and still making the seismograph line jiggle like two dozen earthquakes in one.

Prisons in Italy

Easy To Get Into And Easy To Get Out Of

Italian prisons appear to have great advantage from the point of view of the criminal classes. They are easier both to get into and to get out of than those in other countries. During the past few weeks there have been all too many reports of partisans breaking into prisons to release their friends or to execute their enemies while in other cases prisoners have managed to escape by their own efforts. In some cases assisted by their gaolers. The latest worry to afflict Signor Taglietti, the Communist Minister of Justice, is the revolt in the Regina Coeli prison at Rome, where some 2,500 prisoners have managed to capture the prison but have so far failed to break out.—Manchester Guardian.

RECIPES

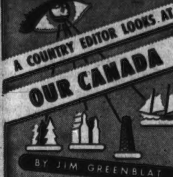
COCOA FLAKE SQUARES

1/2 cup shortening
1 cup sugar
2 eggs, well-beaten
1 teaspoon vanilla
1/2 cup cocoa
1 cup sifted flour
1/2 teaspoon salt
2 cups corn flakes
1/2 cup chopped nuts
Blend shortening and sugar. Stir in eggs and flavoring. Sift cocoa, flour and salt together. Combine with corn flakes, crushed into fine crumbs and nuts. Add to egg mixture and beat well. Spread in greased baking pan and bake in moderate oven (350 deg. F.) about 30 minutes. Yield: 12 2-inch squares (8 1/2-inch pan).

HAWAIIAN PUNCH

2 1/2 cups orange juice
1 1/2 teaspoons grated lemon rind
3 tablespoons lemon juice
1 cup pineapple juice
2 cups water
6 whole cloves
2 cups pineapple
1/2 teaspoon allspice
1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
1 cup sugar
1 tablespoon lemon
1 1/2 quarts ginger ale
Combine orange juice, lemon rind and juice, pineapple juice, water, spices, sugar and honey; cover and set stand in warm place three hours. Strain over cracked ice; add ginger ale and serve at once. Approximate yield: 3 quarts, or 24 small glasses.

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From here and there: Walter Quattri, who farms in West Garthra township, Ontario, has corn which grew 114 inches in 60 days, a hybrid variety, seed coming from a farm in Bloomington. . . . Disappointed when he shot down with a rifle a silver object in the sky, which he thought was a Jap balloon, farmer Chas. Faust of Glenside, B.C., sent the meteorological balloon back to Prince Rupert with this note: "Am returning herewith your fake. . . . A silent tribute to returning veterans reaches the height of patriotism at Kamnask, Sask., where the town has a big illuminated sign at the C.N.R. station—"Welcome Home Veterans." Moose Jaw has the same idea. . . . When V-J Day came, a car locked securely in the garage at the home of A. V. Walldquist, Kirk and Lake, Ont., celebrated as the horn started sounding continuously. It could not have been tampered with, investigation proved and it also proves truth is stranger than fiction. . . . In a few minutes' hallo! at Climax, Sask., 7-inch hail blasted through grain into the dirt, killing turkeys, chickens like atomic bombs; two days after a 6-acre lake still stood centering T. Miller's grain field. . . . Mrs. A. K. McLeay of Cap. Cam, Ont., has a special which raised a litter of six puppies, and they were given away to one. She was motherly, went to a neighboring farm to get a cow, three baby bunnies to place beside her lone puppy. . . . V-J Day at Hanna, Alta., a cafe man, Chin Lee, had a special menu of chocolate bars, deciding to "shoot the works" in celebration. . . . At Guelph, Ont., V-J celebrations threw in a couple of light wagons on bonfires, then an old house.

* Thanking God for the end of the war, a Manitoba weekly says Peace entails certain responsibility to state-men and individuals, and ending up the editorial with an entreaty, "We must have compassion on our neighbors (meaning the enemy), bind up his wounds, pouring in oil and wine, then he will become a friend instead of an enemy."

* Speeding up for winter: Strip mining operations in Alberta under federal government sponsorship to secure emergency fuel, are now producing approximately 4,000 tons of coal a day. Most of this is being shipped to Ontario. Mines are in operation at Taber, Grassy Lake, Bygonia and other points. Government sponsored strip mines have produced about 300,000 tons of coal since construction work on them started two years ago.

* Tragedy and coincidence: Miss Helen Cameron, elderly resident just east of Watford, Ont., was struck down and killed on the highway in front of her gate by a motorist on July 31. On the same spot exactly three years ago in July, 1942, her brother Donald Cameron of Watford, was struck by a speeding motorist and killed.

* This appeared in the Yarmouth (N.S.) Herald-Telegraph, signed: Postmaster, Cross Creek, N.S. "I am the aging Postmaster in the aging building, known as the Post Office. I am called down, called up, called out, called in, called straight, called crooked, called cranky, called thoughtful, called obliging, called early, called late. People turned away from the wicket with smiles, frowns, thanks, or curses under their breath. Cheques or money expected has a habit of being late; bills always on time. Rain or shine, early or late, good times or bad, the path to the post office is always well trodden, and hopes rise or fall, or hang in the balance, after a visit to the Post Office."

Blend shortening and sugar. Stir in eggs and flavoring. Sift cocoa, flour and salt together. Combine with corn flakes, crushed into fine crumbs and nuts. Add to egg mixture and beat well. Spread in greased baking pan and bake in moderate oven (350 deg. F.) about 30 minutes. Yield: 12 2-inch squares (8 1/2-inch pan).

HAWAIIAN PUNCH
2 1/2 cups orange juice
1 1/2 teaspoons grated lemon rind
3 tablespoons lemon juice
1 cup pineapple juice
2 cups water
6 whole cloves
2 cups pineapple
1/2 teaspoon allspice
1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
1 cup sugar
1 tablespoon lemon
1 1/2 quarts ginger ale
Combine orange juice, lemon rind and juice, pineapple juice, water, spices, sugar and honey; cover and set stand in warm place three hours. Strain over cracked ice; add ginger ale and serve at once. Approximate yield: 3 quarts, or 24 small glasses.

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Wool Gathering?

WELL... that's not surprising, if you've been counting sheep all night! Why can't you sleep? Can it be that you're bothered by the caffeine in tea and coffee? Try Postum instead!

You'll love its wonderful depth of flavor—not like tea, not like coffee, just a grand warming goodness all its own. And Postum contains no caffeine, nor any other drug that might whip up heart or nerves, or upset digestion.

So easy to fix—right in the cup—just by adding hot milk or boiling water. Enjoy Postum with meals... between meals... at bedtime—anytime!



Postum

A Product of General Foods

Pre-Cooked Meals

Served On Plates And Can Be Kept Indefinitely

The navy department has solved the problem of providing good food, properly cooked, for passengers on ocean crossings of the Na-Val Air Transport Service planes now flying all over the world. It is a service of quick-frozen, pre-cooked meals which can be heated and served in 15 minutes.

The pre-cooked meals are assembled in units of meat and two vegetables on cardboard plates lacquered to prevent the flavor of the paper from passing into the food. They are frozen and stored in a Queens Village plant until ready for use. The food remains good for a year.

The meals, when needed, are placed in a special oven of stainless steel and aluminum construction, weighing 35 pounds and holding six meals. A fan in the rear distributes heat evenly. Although the meals can be cooked in any oven, it might require half an hour longer, whereas the special unit does the job of thawing and reheating in 15 minutes.

At meal time, the foods are removed from the cartons. The meals, still on cardboard plates, are placed in the oven. In 15 minutes they are ready for the passengers, to whom they are served on the cardboard plates.—L. Cullinan in a Washington dispatch to the New York Herald Tribune.

Canada's Northland

Food Production Being Extended To Far Northern Points

In the opening up of Canada's Northlands, few people are more active than the men who sell, second by Dominion and Provincial governments, and later developed more rapidly by Experimental Stations, says Dr. E. S. Archibald, Director, Dominion Experimental Farms Service.

The small sub-stations of a few years ago have become the well-fledged Experimental Stations of today, and they in turn through still more sub-stations extend the boundaries of food production farther and farther north, in fact all the way to the Arctic. The limits for commercial production for use in Canadian cities with exportable surpluses cease to be a factor beyond certain points of transportation, but become all the more important because of isolation of the inhabitants of the north country who are developing Canada's mines, fisheries, and fur resources.

Wonderful Machine

Will Mix Soft Drinks And Serve Them In Cups

Soft drink by the cup are served by a revolutionary coin-in-the-slot vending machine developed by C. C. Bradley and Son in Syracuse, N.Y. The machine stores soft drink syrup in bulk, carbonates fresh water automatically when a coin is inserted in the mechanism, mixes the two ingredients in correct proportion and delivers the soft drink in a paper cup. The machine will serve 40,000 cups of beverage on one filling.

the stand that while Japan is very unfortunate in being the subject of the first experiment with the atomic bomb, that it seems more reasonable to expect Russia's entrance into the war is responsible for the quick end of organized Japanese resistance. The people of Hiroshima and Nagasaki might want to argue the point with the Guide editor.

Historic Engine

Took The First Train Into Vancouver 58 Years Ago

Old 374, first engine to snake a train into Vancouver, puffed into the station there for the last time. Many of the same B.C. pioneers who greeted her 58 years ago, when her arrival marked the completion of the Canadian Pacific railway, were on hand to greet her. The C.P.R. has presented the historic engine to the city of Vancouver. Her resting place will be in Stanley park.

Button-Fronter



You'll be so nice to come home to in this simple-to-sew frock. Pattern 4850 has button front, which means easy sewing. It's made of fabric. Pattern 4850 comes in sizes 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42. Size 14 takes 3 1/2 yards 36-inch fabric; 1/2 yard contrast. Send twenty cents (20c) in name (stamps cannot be accepted) for this Pattern. Write plainly: Size, Name, Address and Style Number and send orders to the Anne Adams Pattern Dept., Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermott Ave. E., Winnipeg, Man.

EUROPE'S UNIVERSITIES

Europe's universities, most of which during the period of occupation were compulsorily closed down, are opening once again. In Holland, the Catholic university of Nijmegen has already resumed work, and the Free university of Amsterdam has started to enroll students. A great rally of Czech-Slovak students marked the re-opening of Prague and Brno; and four Italian universities are due to open again in the near future.

Easy Way to Treat Sore, Painful Piles

Here is the chance for every person in Canada suffering from sore, itchy, painful piles to try a simple, natural remedy. It's the promise of a painless cure. It's the promise of a cure that you are not satisfied with the usual treatment.

Simply go to any drugstore and get a box of "Easy Way to Treat Sore, Painful Piles." This is an internal treatment, easy to use, quickly noticed, itching and soreness are relieved, leaving the rectum healthy and clean. Get a bottle of "Easy Way to Treat Sore, Painful Piles" today and see for yourself what an easy, beautiful way this is to rid yourself of your pile sufferer.

NOTE: The sponsor of this guide is a Canadian. It's a simple, natural remedy. It's the promise of a painless cure. It's the promise of a cure that you are not satisfied with the usual treatment.

Quaker Corn Flakes Offers \$1500.00 IN PRIZES!

For Naming This Pony

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300 VALUABLE PRIZES
IN ALL!

It's fun to name a pony. But this time you cash in on the fun. We make this great offer because we want you to try Quaker Corn Flakes... because we're sure you'll agree Quaker Corn Flakes are the most delicious of all corn flakes.

Send in as many names for the pony as you wish. You may combine words to get unique ideas—such as "Funpon" because it combines "Fun and Pony". The Quaker Oats Company of Canada Limited reserves the right to supply cash equivalents for prizes which may prove unavailable due to wartime restrictions.

RULES

1. Prize—do not write—the name you enter for the pony. Also print your own name and address.
2. Every entry must be accompanied by a box top from Quaker Corn Flakes. You may use as many as you wish. Mail your entry to the Quaker Oats Company of Canada Limited, P.O. Box 100, Pseudochow, Ontario.
3. The envelope containing your entry must be postmarked not later than midnight, Oct. 15, 1945.
4. A copy of each of one or more words, singly or in combination, that comes to your name, name, or address, etc. Originality, uniqueness, and suitability will determine the prize.
5. Names shall determine prize, judging and their decisions shall be final.
6. Winners will be notified as soon as possible after the contest closes. No entries will be returned.
7. The Quaker Oats Company of Canada Limited will not accept any entries in case of duplicate names. Entries will be awarded prize.
8. Contestants to Canada. No employees of The Quaker Oats Company of Canada Limited or their advertising agency are eligible.

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The Quaker Oats Company of Canada Limited, Box 100, Pseudochow, Ontario. Please enclose the following name(s) in the Quaker Oats Flakes Pony-naming Contest.

Name _____
Address _____
City _____

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W. J. BARTLETT, PUBLISHER

Blairmore, Alta., Fri., Sept. 7, 1945

TRAINING FOR PEACE

We are now a nation trained for war. Hard training in camp and factory overcame the soft habits of peace and put fit men and weapons on the battlefields.

But are we in training for peace? Have we made ourselves fit as a nation, in our homes and factories, our offices and farms, to resist temptation to sink back in victory? Have we toughened our mental and moral muscles to fight on now to secure the peace and build a new world?

Just as soft home life softens men for war, selfish home life unfits them for peace. Husbands, wives and children can train together now for the adventure of a new home life. With the boys home, and the first thrill of reunion over, our families need not settle back to the dullness or the petty quarrels that lead to broken homes. New homes will fashion the new age. Every husband and wife, son or daughter, has a part. They can train themselves to snap to instead of snapping back. They can train themselves to think of each other instead of themselves. Every victory they gain in those daily tussles with self-will is a brick in the new structure of new families and a better world.

Just as slow-downs, strikes and lock-outs crippled industry for war production, they can cripple industry in peace. Especially they keep us from producing that great peace-time priority—national unity. They keep us from developing that pattern of behavior which can win the confidence and friendship of other nations. But every employer and every worker, every foreman and every shop steward can start training now to eliminate friction in human relations, far more devastating to production than is friction in machines. They can think not who is right, but what is right in the interests of all. They can think how to turn out, not just quality products, but quality citizens. They can train to work as a team—far more important to peace than the work of either head or hands.

Canadians have a tremendous past. If we can train in this way for peace we can have an even greater future. And we will have something to export to other nations, better than the best goods and ideas we have ever shipped.

"V"

TURKEY TO BUY \$1,550,500 WORTH OF U. K. GOODS

A Turkish commissioner will visit London very shortly with \$1,550,500 to spend on harbor and shipping equipment and various classes of raw materials. An enormous demand for British goods of all types is expected.

Commenting on the signing of the Anglo-Turkish trade and payments agreement last May, it is claimed that British capital, industry and enterprise will take an interest in Turkey's plans for reconstruction. It is estimated that at least \$132,000,000 will be spent yearly in excess of the ordinary budget expenditure, on extensive public works and electrical equipment.

"W"

TRY OUR SOCIETY PRINTING

WORLD FOOD and the PRAIRIE FARMER

THE CHALLENGE OF FOOD PRODUCTION

(NOTE—This is the first of a series by Dean R. D. Sinclair, well known authority, written expressly for the weekly press of the prairie provinces.)

At the peak of the depression of the early thirties farmers in some countries were paid for the wheat which they didn't raise, young pigs were slaughtered to produce tankage or were dumped into the sea. There appeared to be too much food in sight, but at the same time millions of people were starving in other parts of the world. Actually there was not too much food if it had been properly distributed. A careful study of the records shows that there has never been too much food in the world when the actual needs of all the people have been taken into account.

The United Nations Food Conference held at Hot Springs, Virginia, in 1943 set itself to the task of studying what could be done to improve the standard of nutrition of the peoples of the member nations through better distribution of the available food. It was recognized that people must be able to purchase food if it is made available to them and at the same time the farmer must be assured a fair return for what he produces. The words uttered by the late President Roosevelt at the conclusion of this epoch-making conference have resounded throughout the United Nations. He said: "You have surveyed with courage and with realism the magnitude of these problems and have reached unanimous agreement that they can, and must, and will, be solved. . . . The objective, as men know from long and bitter experience, will not be easy to achieve. But you and I know also that throughout history there has been no more worthwhile, no more inspiring challenge. That challenge will be met." There is a determination abroad that the objectives of the food conference must be woven into the pattern of any world security organization that is designed. National policies which are being developed to relate our production to that of other countries and to offer some protection against collapse of prices suggest that agriculture can move forward with a feeling of security that it has not had in the past.

It is proper at this time for the farmers of the prairie provinces to examine their position and see where they fit into this scheme of better human nutrition and an expanding consumption of food products. Our problem is not only one of producing food for the immediate needs of starving millions of devastated countries, but one involving a long-term programme which will affect generations to come.

We have largely passed the stage of the pioneer outlook in connection with farming in western Canada. The sons and grandsons of the early settlers have their roots firmly established in the soil of this country. There is no thought of moving on to another location. We should be thinking now more than ever before along the lines of building permanent homes, substantial and convenient farmsteads and the development of communities in which a worthwhile life can be lived. Permanence should be a dominant motive in all of the processes of our western agriculture. The savings which have been put by in the form of Victory Bonds during the war may well be the means of making it possible to make a switch over from temporary expedients to permanent improvements. Yes, we are going to be engaged in this business of producing food in western Canada for a long time to come.

The records set in agricultural production in western Canada during the years of the present war, in spite of handicaps of equipment and labor, indicate that we can still go a long way in increasing our contributions to the world's stock of food supplies. We have vast undeveloped soil resources.

Thousands of our boys are going to settle on the land when they are released from military service. We will have to consider making room for sons of those who would like to come here from countries where the farms have been plundered and devastated by a ruthless enemy. How can we organize our resources so that we may meet the challenge and opportunity of feeding the people of the world more adequately and at the same time bring about a higher standard of farm life on the prairies? We will study this question in the short articles which will follow in this series.

"V"

AN URGENT APPEAL

"Please send us a bundle of used clothing because we are naked. We have a great need for clothes because the Nazis have taken everything away from us."

"The children have no clothes to wear, and in rags they are ashamed to go to school."

There could be no more poignant appeal made to the 2,000,000 school children of Canada and to their parents than is contained in this cable which was received a short time ago from the mother of one of the workers

in the Greek war relief fund in Montreal.

The situation in the Island of Samos, from which this message came, can be duplicated in every liberated country in Europe, where 125,000,000 people, including 30,000,000 children, are in dire need of serviceable used clothing to cover their emaciated bodies, and give them some warmth to ward off the disease which is taking such a terrible toll, particularly of the young.

In Belgium, Czechoslovakia, Denmark, France, Greece, Luxembourg, the Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Russia and Yugoslavia the need is vitally urgent.

In Canada's two million children enjoying the privilege of education are well and comfortably clothed for all weathers. Such a message of distress will undoubtedly strike a responsive chord in their hearts, and as Dr. W. P. Percival, director of Protestant education in the province of Quebec, points out in his message of commendation of the voluntary effort which the Canadian people will be asked to make towards the National Clothing Collection sponsored by the Canadian United Allied Relief Fund on behalf of UNRRA, the children will

feel a desire to contribute something from their own wardrobes for their little brothers and sisters on the other side of the world.

Dr. Percival's message, sent to W. M. Birks, chairman of the national committee for the clothing collection, is as follows:

"It is a pleasure for me to endorse the appeal that is being made for clothing to be sent to the liberated countries. The war that has just closed has been so devastating, and necessitated the removal of so many people from their homes, that a need such as you support should be patent to all."

"Men and women everywhere who have clothing that they can spare, and men and women interested in humanity will not fail to hear the call of your committee and to respond in a spirit worthy of them."

"Children, too, can play their part by ferreting out many of their discarded articles of clothing and will undoubtedly feel better and will undoubtedly receive some moral uplift in the thought that they are playing their part to help less fortunate children and to relieve those distressed."

There are 80,000 teachers in the schools of Canada, and arrangements

are being made with the educational departments of the various provinces to facilitate the pupils playing a big part in the forthcoming campaign for a National Clothing Collection from October 1st to October 20th. Through their teachers they may organize contests to match their weight in serviceable clothing, with the co-operation of their parents, as was done in several communities in the United States when their campaign was carried out last spring. The results were amazingly satisfactory—in one town alone no less than 1,500 school children exceeded this objective and won appropriate awards. Canadian school children will not be behind those of their good neighbor when the call goes out for serviceable used clothing, and their gifts will, as Herbert H. Lehman, director general of UNRRA, has stated, "bring new hope to those who have endured so much and help to sustain them on the road to rehabilitation and peace."

"V"

Caught in the ropes of a swing on which he was playing, a 13-year-old lad was strangled to death near his home in Westville, Nova Scotia, on August 24th. The grim discovery was made by his mother.

Your Support IS VITAL TO RATIONING Mr. and Mrs. Farmer

With other groups, you play a part so that everyone gets a fair share

The FARMER

Under the rationing regulations, you are asked to collect and turn in the coupons you acquire against the use and sale of butter and, when meat rationing is introduced again, of meat and rationed mangle products. So that you may buy other meats from your butcher, from the sale of honey other meats from your butcher, no more than one-half of the valid coupons in your ration book and in those of your household need be surrendered. To make it easy to send in coupons, you are provided with RB-61 envelopes which should be forwarded once a month to your Local Ration Board. No postage is required.

The RETAILER

The retailer also plays a part. He must obtain coupons or other valid ration documents against every sale he makes of rationed foods—butter, sugar, preserves and meat. Otherwise, he cannot replenish his stocks. He must paste all coupons on gummed sheets and endorse each sheet with his name and address. If his monthly food sales total \$2,500 or more, he is required to give valid ration documents or a ration cheque to his supplier for every purchase he makes of a rationed food.

The HOUSEWIFE

The housewife, too, has rationing work to do. She must know the validity and expiry dates of butter, sugar, preserves and, later, meat coupons so that she can make supplies of these foods last. She must know the coupon values of all rationed preserves and meat. She has to understand the sugar alternative of the preserves coupon in order to do as much home canning as possible and still have coupons for honey, syrups and other preserves. She must guard family ration books carefully and give up coupons for every purchase she makes of a rationed food.

RATIONING is your assurance of a fair share. It is a protection against waste . . . shortage . . . inflation.

That is why farmers are asked to *continue to collect and turn in coupons to their Local Ration Boards - once a month - in the RB-61 envelope.*

RATION ADMINISTRATION

THE WARTIME PRICES AND TRADE BOARD

After a very enjoyable visit as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Patterson here, Mrs. J. D. Willocks left for Calgary via Lethbridge the early part of the week to spend a few days with friends. While in Blairmore, along with Mr. and Mrs. Patterson, they motored to Fernie to spend the annual sports day on Monday.

Here's A Beauty Shop Note
"The atomic power discovery may lead to a permanent permanent," said Mrs. Brown.

"I wouldn't want one," replied Mrs. Black. "Where would I hear all the neighborhood news?"

No Cause For Worry

When Bishop Whipple was a missionary preacher to the Indians in Minnesota he one day had to conduct a service in a nearby village. He had to leave in a hurry, and it happened that he had left all his belongings scattered about the chief's lodge. "Will they be safe while I'm gone?" he asked the head of the tribe.

"Oh, yes," said the chief. "You don't need to worry. There isn't a white man within one hundred miles."

LETTER OF APPRECIATION

Calgary, Alta, 31 Aug., 1945.
Civilian Recruiting Advisor,
Blairmore, Alberta.

Dear Sir or Madam: With the advent of V-J day the need for recruiting no longer exists. Although we are all elated at having ultimately obtained victory in Europe and in Japan, we are somewhat despondent at the knowledge that the District Recruiting Company must be disbanded. I have been fortunate in surrounding myself with a most excellent staff of exceedingly faithful workers. The time has now come, however, when I must say good-bye to them all, and each will go his or her way.

This is equally applicable to all the civilian recruiting advisors, who have done a masterful job in the past five years in the interests of the Canadian active army. I am quite confident that the bill to the taxpayers for obtaining recruits would have been tremendous had it not been for the fact that we had volunteer workers in practically every town in the province, all of whom, at considerable sacrifice to themselves, had available material which led to supplying the necessary information for enlistments, and who used this material to good advantage.

Alberta need take second place to no other province in Canada in so far as our recruiting results are concerned, and in behalf of the Department of National Defence, Brigadier F. M. W. Harvey, VC, MC, District Officers Commanding, Military District No. 13, myself and my staff, I say sincerely "Thank you" for the splendid work you have done.

May I also add what a pleasure it has been to me personally to have worked with you, and a further thank you for the co-operation you have not only given in the matter of enlistments, but to myself if and when I visited in your town.

My staff join me in wishing you and yours every success.

Sincerely yours,

J. H. GAINOR, Major,
District Recruiting Officer,
Military District No. 13.

A colossal task of rehabilitation, material and spiritual, lies ahead of the people of Canada and the world, declares Commissioner Benjamin Oran, territorial commander of the Salvation Army. He issues a call to officers and members across Canada, in Newfoundland and Bermuda, where Salvation Army units are also under his direction, to prepare to make whatever sacrifices are necessary, and to put forth every effort to advance this work.

A NEW SETTLEMENT

The Church of Latter Day Saints, better known as the Mormon church, has purchased a considerable area of land from the Eastern Irrigation District for use of the Mormon co-servicemen. The land is in the Rosemary district and comprises some forty-four square sections, most of which is irrigable.

The first Mormon settlers in Alberta came at the beginning of the present century, settling in the Cardston district in southwestern Alberta. It was from the State of Utah, the homeland of Mormonism, they came. The state has large semi-arid and even desert regions, and the Mormons developed irrigation to a high degree of proficiency. When settlers therefrom came to southern Alberta, they pioneered in irrigation development.

The south Alberta Mormons have shown enterprise and ability in many walks of life. They are largely responsible for the sugar beet development and have made up thriving and prosperous districts, villages and towns. They have taken an active part in municipal, provincial and federal affairs and are good Canadians.—Ex.

RUSSIA WILL USE BRITISH BUILDING METHODS

Moscow building organizations have asked the United Kingdom for plans, plans and literature showing how various types of homes are built in Britain. Russian building experts and technicians will attend a special showing of films of British buildings and estates. The Financial News reports that it is anticipated many British methods will be employed by the Soviets in reconstruction work.

The Macleod Gazette of last week took occasion to draw Mr. Colquhoun's attention to something interesting. It was this: "Mr. Hamerley, who lives across the CPR tracks, left us a ripe fig which had been grown in his house. This is unusual in this northern clime. It may be worth a spot on the broadcast, which is the reason we publish it. Here's hoping it catches RD's eagle eye."

It has taken plenty of physical courage to win the fight for freedom. It will take plenty of moral courage to make the best use of what we've won.

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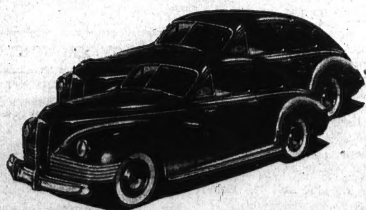


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Playing safe with TEXTILES

The supply of textiles is not adequate to the demand.
For six years, most of the world output has gone to war.
Victory has not improved the situation.
There will not be enough textiles in Canada for many months to come.

HERE ARE SOME OF THE REASONS



Canada depends largely on other sources for raw materials and for some yarns and fabrics.



A serious manpower shortage still confronts the textile industry of all Allied countries.



Shortages overseas must be met. It will take months before production is resumed in Europe.



Substantial quantities of all kinds of textiles are still required by occupational forces.



Domestic demand for textiles increased sharply during the war. It is still going up.



Civilian clothing needs of returning servicemen and women are swelling the demand here at home.

CONSERVATION IS THE KEYNOTE

This year, production directives have again been issued to the textiles industry.

They are intended to divert output to more essential goods.

But directives alone cannot cure a situation arising from world conditions.

The answer lies in conservation. More than ever, the need is to conserve, to take care of what there is, to mend, make-over and make-do.

TO PROVIDE CANADIAN WOMEN with guidance and practical assistance in maintaining the family wardrobe, the Board has prepared a series of advertising inserts to assist Canadian women. Each subsequent advertisement will illustrate tested ways of styling new and fashionable-looking garments from out-of-date, worn-out, and out-of-fashion items. For valuable hints on style, economy and CONSERVATION, watch these columns.

CONSUMER BRANCH

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CONSERVE—AND PLAY SAFE WITH TEXTILES



What Canada Has Done

THERE ARE MANY ASPECTS to modern warfare and many ways in which citizens can contribute to victory. Without doubt, the greatest sacrifice is made by the service man who offers his life, and by his family. In other branches of service, however, there are the war workers, the farmers and the bureaucrats who organize the nation for the necessities of war. There are also the many workers in industry, business and the professions who carry out tasks essential to the national welfare. It is agreed that Canada's war effort has been a successful one. More than one million men and women entered the armed services and in both naval and air power the Dominion ranked fourth among the United Nations. In addition, it was here that the great Commonwealth Air Training Plan was carried out, which according to Mr. Churchill, "provided the solid foundation for air supremacy without which victory could not have been won."

Large Sums Of Money Raised

In the field of finance, Canada, although thirty-fifth among the nations of the world in respect to population, made a notable contribution to the cause of victory. Money to finance the war effort has been raised by taxation and by internal loans. War loans, raised entirely within the Dominion have totalled more than 10,200 million dollars and in the last loan there were over three million individual subscribers. At one time during the war, the people of Canada carried the heaviest burden of taxation of any country in the world. During the last fiscal year, the 11½ million people living here paid over \$13 million dollars in personal income tax; more than \$11 million dollars in corporation income tax, and 469 million dollars in excess profits tax. In addition to these, there have been numerous luxury, excise, sales and other taxes which have contributed heavily to public funds.

Aid Rushed To Britain

Many momentous events have taken place since the summer of 1940 when Britain, threatened with invasion, was in great need of military machines and munitions. Canada rushed all possible aid across the Atlantic at that time and hastened to speed up war production in her factories and on the land. By 1941, great quantities of munitions, guns, tanks and numerous other vital war supplies were being sent abroad, as well as wheat, meat, eggs and other food products. The full importance of Canada's assistance in this critical period is not yet fully estimated, but it is known to be very great. One British Journal, The London Economist, in discussing the part played by the Dominion in supplying food and munitions said in part: "It is right that due honor should be paid to the realities of steel and muscle behind monetary figures. If Canada is prevented by the smallness of her population from taking rank with the great powers, she has made a place for herself in a category all her own. Relative to her resources, her effort is second to none." This is only one of many tributes which have come from abroad and they should be received here with pride and satisfaction.

World Security

Dependence of Civilization Is On Spiritual Values

Secretary of State Paul Martin in an address to the Canadian Institute on Public Affairs said the world security charter framed at San Francisco had "all the ingredients of success" but there must also be present the disposition and the necessary good faith among the nations concerned to make it work.

"I believe this good faith on the part of the nations now exists," he said. "In saying this I was never more conscious of the need for a recognition of the dependence of civilization on spiritual values. A pure sectarian approach will be found wanting. The charter is concerned with the social and economic aspects of the problem."

"Its effectiveness now depends on the call as General Smuts (Prime Minister of South Africa) recently said in Ottawa: 'To an awakened culture and a purified and spiritual outlook in life.' This call and the 'charter can save civilization.'"

COURSE TO FOLLOW

The Christian Science Monitor says:

"There has been considerable difficulty and delay in coming to general agreement on procedure for trial of war criminals, applied to Germany. When the Japanese come into question, however, they should be no such trouble since the course to be followed by the tribunals has been already laid down by a most famous Mikado than Hirohito."

My object all sublime
I shall achieve in time—
To let the punishment fit the crime.
The punishment fit the crime.

Strained?
Aching?
Stiff?
Not on
SLOAN'S LINIMENT

Not All Experienced

Returned Service Men Should Have Chance To Learn Jobs

We wonder how many employers realize that, nine times out of ten, when they either advertise for experienced help in their local newspaper, or else seek experienced help through the local office of the National Selective Service, they are unintentionally discouraging a returned veteran in his efforts to become established in civilian life.

Many employers appear to have adopted the practice of using this phraseology: "If they require a car, an electrician, a salesman, a newspaper reporter, a truck driver, or any other kind of help, they usually define the man whom they require as experienced."

Many of the men who are now being discharged from the fighting forces of this Dominion are inexperienced in anything but their particular work while on active service. This Dominion, and in fact all the Allied Nations, would have been in a pretty pickle today if, without recruiting their armies, they had only employed "experienced soldiers". Can't industry adopt the same policy of recruiting and training suitable men for a particular job?—Owen Sound Sun Times.

Played Big Part

Little Ships Of British Navy Sank Many Enemy Vessels

The Admiralty disclosed the story of the big part played by the "little ships" of the British Navy in the European sea war.

The tiny craft of the coastal forces, none of which exceeded 1,000 tons, sank more than 500 enemy vessels in 780 actions for a loss of 170 of their own. They shot down 32 enemy aircraft and carried out nearly twice as many minelaying operations as all other minelayers.

The force, consisting of only two flotillas at the war's outset, expanded until it included 25,000 men on VE Day.

DONATES LIFE SAVINGS

Dr. James Richard Whitwell, who died at the age of 83, left his \$20,000 (about \$90,000 savings to patients at St. Asaph's hospital, Ipswich, where he was the medical superintendent for 37 years.

Achieved Ambition

Engineer Has Made Dream Into Reality On His Freighters

Crewmen of the freighter J. J. H. Brown boast that their ship's engine room is the neatest and cleanest on the Great Lakes. And the man responsible is Chief Engineer Fred Vienu, of Buffalo.

Three years of painstaking work completed Vienu's "dream engine room."

The huge "work bench" is equipped with hundreds of highly-polished tools, ranging from small belt punches to huge wrenches. A duplicate set is in use aboard ship and only when jobs break is a crewman permitted to remove a tool from the bench. In drawers of the cabinets are hundreds of other tools.

Vienu's prize, however, is the floor. With ordinary paint he fashioned a huge copy of a compass dial. In the centre he placed a chart of the Great Lakes and its principal ports. Squares painted around the compass give a lineal-mile effect to the lacquered floor.

Chief Engineer Vienu explained he made up his mind 20 years ago when he first started sailing, that when he reached the top he'd have a "dream engine room" that would be a model of neatness.

His shipmates are sure he has achieved his ambition and they are convinced that nowhere on the Great Lakes is there a ship's engine room as spic and span as the Brown's.

Price Control And Rationing Information

Q.—May I buy meat on meatless Tuesdays and Fridays?

A.—Yes. But in order to conserve meat you are asked to serve meatless meals in your homes on Tuesdays and Fridays.

Q.—Have any coupons in ration book five been declared invalid?

A.—Butter coupons 90 to 115 expired on August 31. No other ration coupons have expired in ration book five.

Q.—Has the rationing of small arms ammunition been lifted?

A.—Yes. Rationing of small arms ammunition will come to an end on August 31.

Q.—Do meatless Tuesdays and Fridays end at midnight?

A.—Meatless Tuesdays and Fridays in all public eating places now start at four a.m. and continue for a 24-hour period.

Q.—I have lost my ration book and all the sugar for canning coupons. Will I get these with a new book?

A.—No. Coupons for canning sugar cannot be replaced because the ration administration has no way of telling whether or not they were used before the book was lost.

Please send your questions or your request for the pamphlet "Consumers' News" or the Blue Book in which you can find out about your selling prices, mentioning the name of this paper to the nearest Wartime Price and Trade Board office in your province.

A World Language

Proposes That English Should Be Taught In Order To Keep The Peace

A multilingual member of the British parliament proposed, that the whole world be taught English in an effort to keep the peace.

Advocating his system of revised English as a universal tongue, Dr. Mont Pollock, Labour member for Loughborough, told the House of Commons that language differences created barriers between nations.

He suggested that \$300,000 (\$325,000) be appropriated to establish a chair of English at London university to make English a world language and offered to put up \$5,000 himself if the government would raise the balance.

In 1938 Dr. Pollock, who speaks six languages, invented a system of simple English which has 150 fewer fundamental words than basic English.

SMILE AWHILE

Officer: "I ought to arrest you for driving like that!"

Dumb Driver: "But, officer, you caught me. This isn't my car and I haven't any license."

"Are you taking precautions to prevent the spread of this disease?"

"Oh, yes, doctor, we bought a sanitary drinking cup, and we all use it."

"Is Jack concealed?"

"Concealed? Who he joined the Navy to let the world see him?"

Judge: "This case be settled out of court?"

Kelly: "Sure, that's what we were trying to do, your honor, when the police interfered."

"That was a beautiful hat, Pat, your wife wore to church last Sunday. It was so high I could hardly see the pulpit above it."

"It should a' been beautiful, Mike, an' if he'd worn the bill that came with it, you wouldn't 'a' seen the steeple!"

Woman (to police officer, charged with assaulting her husband): "I asked him if he loved me, and he was so long thinking about it that I hit him with a mop."

Mistress (during cleaning): "Be careful with those books. Jane. Some of them go back to George I. Maud: "Yes, and some of them ought to go back to the village library, ma'am."

Sadie: "That husband of mine is a worm if there ever was one."

Daisy: "Yes, I just saw a chicken pick him up."

Constable (to a gentleman staggering home at 3 a.m.): "Where are you going to at this time of night?"

"To a lecture."

TRAINING BUS DRIVERS To speed up training of drivers to replace hundreds of girls who have left the service through marriage, members of the Women's Royal Naval Service are taking lessons from London bus drivers.

Quality Guaranteed



MEET A CWAC—

"I was in at the beginning of recruiting and I'm getting out two days after it has been suspended," remarked Captain Patricia A. M. Quinn, C.W.A.C. Recruiting Officer for M.D. 12, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Baker, Moose Jaw, Sask.

Quinn became a member of the Canadian Women's Army Corps in January, '42, and received her basic training at St. Anne de Bellevue, Que. At the conclusion of the course she was posted to the CWAC Staff Office, M.D. 12, Regina, Sask., where all recruiting for the Corps was being done at that time. While Capt. Quinn was on an Officers' Training Course at St. Anne in July of the same year, a Canadian Women's Army Corps Recruiting Officer was established under the direction of Lt.-Col. A. W. Pascoe. Upon the completion of her O.T.A. she was posted to M.D. 12 as CWAC Recruiting Officer, with the rank of Lieutenant, being promoted to the rank of Captain in July, '43.

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Unfetched By Hand

All Family Allowance Cheques Are Made Out By Robot

Reginald Hardy in the Ottawa Citizen says: Members of the 1,237,754 families who receive family allowance cheques might be interested in knowing that those same little slips of paper come to them absolutely unfetched by hand.

Who fills out the cheques, then, and stamps them with the proper amount, types in the payee's name, and then signs them, thus making them legal tender?

The answer is Ruby, the demon calculator! Ruby is a robot, one of the super-duper robots of the 20th century age of robots. She's an amazing collection of gears and wheels and wires. Just touch a button and Ruby goes into action. All you have to do is to give Ruby a few thousand blank cheques and her directions and she gets on with the job. When the work is done, great great keys click up and down with amazing speed, ink splashes from her robot pen, and—presto! she has the job done.

Ruby has a number of sisters—one in each province of the Dominion—and Hon. Brooke Claxton, minister of national revenue, and wife, gave newspapermen a few of their vital statistics.

Ruby and her sisters cost about one-quarter of a million dollars. Ruby, alone, can write, address and sign 3,600 cheques an hour. She keeps a record of what she does, too, and she never makes a mistake.

Ruby can do in a few hours what it would take hundreds of clerks days to do. She is a speedster, a misproducer, the perfect civil servant.

Building Homes

Men In Cariboo Putting Up Houses

Elmore Phillips, in the Ottawa Citizen, says there is no country in the world that has the super-abundance of building materials that Canada has. We have what it takes to build houses. We have the men and women who can help build them. And we have a vast number of people crying for place to live.

In the Cariboo I saw men and women working side by side building houses that cost a million dollars.

True, the trees are but a few hundred yards away from the finished houses. But the workman ship going into these new homes is really something to look at. The King of England, in Buckingham Palace, has no more beautiful new whole some place to live in than some of these pioneer jack-of-all trades are building for themselves. For let no body run away with the idea that these are mere rough-and-ready one-story log shelters from the wind and snow. Some are great lodges, two stories, with really wonderful handiwork on the logs around windows, doors, and on the pillars in the main living room.

GEMS OF THOUGHT

SHARING ENLIGHTENMENT Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father which is in heaven.—Matthew 5:16.

There is no it search after truth which does not, first of all, begin to live the truth that it knows.—Horace Bushnell.

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Pacific Army And Air Force Will Disband

OTTAWA.—Prime Minister MacKenzie King announced the disbanding of the Pacific army and air force and said Canada would not participate in the occupation of Japan with the exception that one or two naval units might operate in Far East waters.

Mr. King said the army and air forces—totaling about 33,000 men—will disband immediately the Japanese signature is placed on the surrender terms.

"All arrangements to this end have already been put in hand with a view to the speedy demobilization of the personnel affected in accordance with established procedures covering all service men and women," Mr. King added.

The Pacific 6th division had started to concentrate and regroup at Camp Shilo, Manitoba, and the 1st Canadian Air Force at Camp Borden, Ont., and Debert, N.S., while Maj.-Gen. Bert M. Hoffmeister, its commander had established headquarters at Brockville, Ont.

The Pacific men will go back into the demobilization stream getting their discharges when their appropriate point scores come up.

Air Vice-Marshal Roy Slemmon had commenced training his R.C.A.F. squadrons at eastern air command stations in the Maritime. Now these men will also go into the demobilization stream.

The navy, however, is already committed in the Pacific with the anti-aircraft cruiser Prince Robert on a mercy mission with medical supplies to Hong Kong and the cruiser Ontario reported in Japanese waters. Mr. King said "one or two units" might conceivably remain with the security forces. He admitted both these ships were in far eastern waters but gave no details.

PLENTY OF SPACE

For Grain Storage On Prairie Farms This Year

WINNIPEG.—Storage will not be a problem on prairie farms this harvest.

A survey by the Winnipeg Tribune shows total storage space on farms, including temporary, portable and permanent structures, of 787,000,000 bushels capacity, 154,000,000 bushels greater than the total licensed elevator space in the entire Dominion.

This compares with slightly more than 859,000,000 bushels for farm storage in 1943 and 785,000,000 bushels in 1942. No survey was made in 1944.

The Tribune says that this year's total includes slightly more than 142,000,000 bushels space on Manitoba farms; more than 338,000,000 in Saskatchewan, and in excess of 275,000,000 in Alberta.

The reduction in storage space is due to elimination of temporary and make-shift bins built during the storage congestion emergency prior to 1942.

IN THE MAIL

Skunk Causes Commotion In A Toronto Post Office

TORONTO.—Parcels mailed in the outer office of the suburban Weston post office carried an unusual scent, a mail collector found when he arrived to empty the boxes. He discovered that a skunk which apparently had been paroled had chewed its way out of the wrappings and was loose in the parcel box. He grabbed the animal and threw it out on the road, where an automobile ran over it.

But several bottles of perfume used liberally by the staff of Postmaster Wm. Savage failed to counteract the wildwood odor in the post office all day.

WAR VETERANS

Are Pouring Much Money Into Housing Plans

OTTAWA.—Canada's war veterans are pouring millions of their discharge and gratuity dollars into housing and the things that make a home, the department of veterans affairs indicated.

Announcing that a total of \$4,275,680 has been paid to veterans in re-establishment credits, Veterans Affairs Minister MacKenzie said the department believes ex-servicemen and women have committed at least \$20,000,000 in the housing field.

LIFT METAL CONTROLS

OTTAWA.—Ministries Minister Howe announced the lifting of all metals control restrictions on the distribution of lead and lead alloys. The first such restrictions were issued in May, 1942, when sales of virgin lead by the smelters were placed on a permit basis.

ARREST COUNTERFEITERS

PARIS.—Paris police announced the arrest of a gang of persons charged with manufacturing and distributing nearly 100,000,000 francs in 3,000-franc notes during the past two months.

SAWFLY DAMAGE

Expect Wheat Crop Will Be Greatly Reduced By Infestation

LETHBRIDGE, Alta.—The wheat stem sawfly, which has robbed prairie farmers of nearly an entire normal crop of wheat during its history of destruction, is cutting another wide swath in the wheatlands of southern Alberta and Saskatchewan.

In many areas heavily-infested with sawfly farmers are winning the race with the pest, and Dominion government entomologists here are confident the toll taken by sawfly this year will be reduced.

In spite of control measures entomologists said more than 1,000,000 acres in southern Alberta were infested and the area in Saskatchewan was even larger.

Farmers in the sawfly zone have swathed more wheat this year than ever, and in many areas of southern Alberta swathing has been almost general.

Despite the extensive control measures and swathing of wheat, entomologists warn the number of bushels by which the 1945 wheat crop of the prairies will be reduced through sawfly infestation will run into eight figures.

Recognized as the No. 1 insect pest of prairie wheat farmers since 1941, the sawfly's toll of the 1944 crops was placed as high as 50,000,000 bushels of wheat. The 1943-44 wheat crops of the prairie provinces has been reduced 35,000,000 bushels each year.

Since the sawfly damage was first reported in western Canada early in the century its toll is estimated at nearly 350,000,000 bushels of wheat or close to an average prairie crop.

WAR WORKERS

State 2,000,000 Workers Lose Jobs In United States

WASHINGTON.—Robert C. Goodwin, director of the United States employment service, estimated nearly 2,000,000 United States war workers have lost their jobs since Japan surrendered. Available jobs in general are at pay "substantially below" that of the terminated war jobs.

He said he expected the appearance of more higher-paying jobs after industries have recovered to peacetime production.



A KINDLY ACT—Corporal L. Ritarose is a happy man. His Excellency, The Right Honourable the Earl of Athlone, graciously consented to photograph the corporal's fiancée's photograph during a tour of inspection of the Montreal Military Hospital. His Excellency, accompanied by Her Royal Highness the Princess Alice, officiated at the official opening, which took place August 23rd. Corporal Ritarose, a member of the Regiment de Maisonneuve, was wounded during the heavy fighting of the Normandy campaign. N/S Lieut. E. A. Brown at right.



This sign designates the lab in Montreal where 240 scientists have worked effectively on the war's greatest secret weapon.

Modern lab at University of Montreal. Here is where Canadian scientists worked on the atomic bomb.

New Plan To Speed Release Of Men In Army

OTTAWA.—Canada's manpower situation became increasingly complex with further layoffs in war plants, a new plan to speed release of men in the army and continuing labor shortages in many important industries.

Under the army release plan—announced by Labor Minister Mitchell—orders have gone out to general officers commanding the various military districts instructing them to facilitate the release of men needed for civilian jobs.

Defence Minister Abbott announced that all army men in Canada who want to resume studies in colleges when the fall term opens are eligible for immediate discharge.

Though the minister's announcement covered only army men in Canada it was learned from other sources that a cabinet announcement is likely to be made later, providing a new demobilization and re-deployment program for all three services. It was indicated the new plan would provide for discharge of men who had pre-war jobs to return to as well as those who wished to resume college courses.

It is considered likely the size of the continuing forces also will be indicated, clarifying the number of men now in the forces who will have to be absorbed in civilian life.

Latest lay-offs have centred in the aircraft industry with a cut of 3,700 at De Havilland and 1,200 at Massey Harris, both in the Toronto area, and 4,000 at Nordyn in Montreal.

TWO DATES USED

LONDON.—The Russo-Chinese friendship treaty and co-related agreements were signed in the year 34—according to the Chinese calendar. The texts broadcast from Moscow used both the western and Chinese dates. China counts its modern calendar years from the Chinese revolution in 1911—34 years ago.



COMMITTS HARA-KIRI—General Horechika Anzai, Japanese war minister, committed hara-kiri following the surrender of Japan to the Allied powers.

WANT TO REMAIN

War Workers From Prairies Want To Live At Coast

VANCOUVER.—Prairie war workers who came to Vancouver and Victoria during war years have given little indication that lay-offs in war plants will drive them back to prairie homes, national selective service officials said.

The number from the prairies is not definitely known, but it ought to be several thousand. A housing official suggested that it might benefit prairie folk to return to their own districts where employment opportunities are likely to be greater.

So far there has been only a trickle of inquiries from prairie workers wishing to return home. The great majority of them have expressed the desire to settle on the Pacific coast, officials said.

UNVEIL MONUMENT

THE HAGUE.—A monument to fallen Canadian troops was unveiled at Bergen-op-Zoom in the presence of local officials and representatives of the former underground movement. It commemorated the major role by the 1st Canadian Army in freeing the Netherlands from German control. Bergen-op-Zoom lies just east of the Schelde estuary.

Comment On Finding Of Seed Grain Tribunal

OTTAWA.—Demand that relief debts from the provinces to the Dominion be cancelled before the provinces make further agreements to surrender tax rights, voiced by Provincial Treasurer Fines and Attorney-General Cormier of Saskatchewan in a comment on the finding of the seed grain arbitral tribunal, was anticipated by federal officials.

Such a stand was forecast in statements made by Premier T. C. Douglas during the opening phase of the Dominion-Provincial conference three weeks ago.

Mr. Douglas in his formal speech at the conference said Saskatchewan was willing to give up the right to collect income, corporation and estate taxes in return for enlarged subsidies as proposed by the Dominion government but such subsidies should not be subject to set-off or reduction for any reason, he also reported to have informed other officials at the conference that existing relief debts should be cancelled.

The question before the tribunal was whether the Dominion, under the wartime taxation agreement, had the right to set-off a debt due the Dominion by a province against the subsidies it pays the province in return for keeping out of the income and corporation tax fields.

"The decision of the arbitral tribunal majority, in the view of federal officials, established the right to set-off in respect of that agreement. Any future agreement will be subject to negotiation."

If deductions from subsidies payable to Saskatchewan continue at the rates indicated in the schedule announced by Finance Minister Itley last February, the \$16,000,000 seed grain guarantee indebtedness of Saskatchewan to the Dominion would be wiped out in about five years.

It is anticipated, however, that the wartime tax agreements will either go out of operation or be replaced by permanent agreements before that time comes.

In the pre-war recommendations of the Rowell-Sirois commission on Dominion-Provincial relations, it was proposed that the Dominion assume responsibility for all provincial debts as a start of a new deal in Dominion-Provincial financial relations.

Federal proposals at the recent Dominion-Provincial conference did not affect the provincial debt situation. The reason given for not touching it was that the financial condition of all provinces had improved during the war to the extent that debts were no longer the problem they were when the Rowell-Sirois commission reported.

In addition to the seed grain obligation of Saskatchewan, several provinces owe relief debts to the Dominion secured by treaty rights which have never been presented for payment.

ERSATZ FOOD

Some Factories In Germany Are Being Re-opened

21ST ARMY HEADQUARTERS.—Some of Nazi Germany's ersatz food factories—producing such things as artificial chicken eggs and yeast products made from wood—are being re-opened in the British occupation zone. This "policy" for supplying high in protein content will help supplement the German civilians' diet for what officials predict will be the toughest winter in the country's history.

RETURN TO CANADA

CAMP UTRECHT.—Lt.-Col. Drayton Walker, of Saskatoon, is the first unit commander of the Canadian forces to begin the long move to Canada with troops of his own command. Walker was at Nijmegen with the Saskatoon Light Infantry regiment that went to Spitzbergen, the Mediterranean and northwestern Europe, and which is the first infantry from western Canada to begin the move home as a unit.

JAPS MAKE FARM IMPLEMENTS

SAN FRANCISCO.—The Japanese asserted that they were almost literally beating their swords into plowshares. A Tokyo broadcast to East Asia, recorded by the Federal Communications Commission, said Japanese swordsmiths had turned to the production of farm implements and already were making sickles and spades.

HALIFAX EXPLOSION CLAIMS

HALIFAX.—Claims arising out of damage caused in Halifax and Dartmouth areas by the July 15-19 Bedford naval magazine explosions now total \$381,321, according to an announcement issued by the explosion adjustment committee.

TO REDUCE U.S. NAVY

WASHINGTON.—United States Navy Secretary Forrestal said the navy hopes to reduce to 500,000 men and 50,000 officers within a year. This will mean the discharge of 2,830,000 men.

Local and General Items

A general election will be held in British Columbia on October 25th.

A change of heart will do more to cure a nation's ills than any change of system.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Bannan returned yesterday afternoon from a several weeks' visit to the Pacific coast.

Considerable damage was done to a section of the Michel mine power plant by a forest fire the early part of the week, necessitating a couple of idle days for the mine.

Considerable improvement has been effected to the basement of the Cosmopolitan hotel by Sirett & Co. in the shape of painting and kalsomining. A number of rooms are also being attended to.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Lucy returned to Calgary the early part of the week from Medicine Hat, where they attended the marriage of their son, Major Robert Lucy, to Miss Viola C. Fox, of Montreal.

Among the boys returning to Calgary from overseas on Wednesday were Pte. A. Christie and Lance-Corporal H. A. Jepson, of Bellevue, and Pte. C. Harrison and Corporal A. J. Mark, of Blaimore. They are expected home very shortly.

Announcement is made that the movement of farm workers from Ontario and Quebec to the prairie provinces for harvesting work has already begun. The first of the men left eastern points on Saturday, and with further departures totalled close to one thousand.

Mr. and Mrs. George King spent the holiday week end in Calgary.

Fighting with each other causes trouble. Fighting for each other solves it.

An 82-pound white martin, the first specimen of this tropical game fish to be taken in northern waters, was landed near Louisburg, Nova Scotia, recently.

Canada's twentieth parliament session opened at Ottawa yesterday. A suitable design for a Canadian national flag will be one of the matters considered.

About four hundred Alberta bartenders will decide by vote on Monday next whether or not to go on strike in demand for a more uniform wage agreement.

Those who attended Sunday school at St. Mary's Presbyterian church in Westville, N.S., seventy years ago, are invited to attend the anniversary celebration on September 30th.

The first pre-fabricated aluminum houses have appeared in the city of Bristol, England. They took three and a half hours to erect, and during that time water, gas and electricity were laid on.

The following former members of the Blaimore teaching staff continue on the Calgary staff for this fall term: Misses V. J. Keith at Balmoral, L. M. Perkins at Connaught, B. Douglas at McDougall, E. M. Fulton at Sunnyside Bungalow and M. E. Davis, M.A., at Crescent Heights.

Two atomic bombs cost two billion. Well, it turned out to be the best bargain of the war.—Ex.

We all want to see a family of nations; but is our own family a pattern for the kind we want to see?

On the Empress of Scotland arriving at Quebec on Sunday next will be P. L. E. A. Fontana, of Coleman.

Several fish, measuring less than two feet in length, were received by us over the week end. Thanks!

If all sources of infection could be discovered, Canada would be free of tuberculosis in a generation, it is claimed.

A local boy claimed the wind was so heavy up Castle River on Labor Day that bait blew from his fish hooks in four feet of water.

A report was received from Edmonton over the week end and on byline tuberculosis. Seems there are a few pigs in Alberta suffering that way.

We thank Beaver Creek, via a local friend, for a feed of very nice trout last week end. They were so tasty that we crave for more. Thank you!

Prospects for fishing appeared good in the early hours of Labor Day, but heavy winds in the afternoon blew bait off hooks in water ten feet deep or less on the North Fork.

Many hundreds of barrage balloons, used in the defence of London and other British cities, have been placed by the British government at the disposal of industry. Raincoats, rubber aprons and various household goods are now being manufactured from the demobilized elephants which have been protecting vital targets from Nazi bombers.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Misson are visitors to Calgary this week.

An interesting visitor to Blaimore from Calgary this week end is Mr. Henry Gibeau, one of the real old-timers of Blaimore and the Pass. Mr. Gibeau is now on the verge of his eightieth birthday and is looking mighty well.

Official word has been received by The Enterprise that the local Alberta Government Treasury Branch will close on Saturday, September 29th, and that accounts and equipment will be moved to a new branch to be opened at Pincher Creek. District agencies will remain in operation at Coleman and Bellevue, and promise to provide good service. The Pincher Creek branch will open on Monday, October 1st. Business with local customers will be transacted by daily post.

Shooting of does is again allowed in the East Kootenay. When we put our best foot forward we stop kicking.



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